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SELECT JURY FOR SHARRAH TRIAL

Murder Case not Taken up until Afternoon Session of Court. Morning Occupied by other Current Business.

Regular term of January court convened at 10:30 this morning with the attendance much larger than usual, due to the interest in the trial of Oliver Sharrah for the murder of Peter I. Deardorff. An especially large number of men from the section above Cashtown, near the scene of the crime, were present to hear the proceedings. Nearly every person in that part of the county is acquainted with the defendant or knew the victim personally.

The whole of the morning period was occupied with the returns of constables, the Court's charge to the grand jury and the presentation of various petitions. The grand jury had made no return by 11:30 when current matters were disposed of and the session was adjourned until 1:30 this afternoon.

There were three reports of illegitimate children among the constables' returns and some minor repairs designated for bridges. Roads were reported bad in all sections of the county, due to the rains and alternate freezing and thawing of the past week or more.

The case of Oliver Sharrah was then taken up this afternoon. District Attorney Topper, John D. Keith Esq. and William Hersh Esq. appeared for the Commonwealth, and Hon. George J. Benner and J. Donald Swope Esq. appeared for the defendant.

Mr. Benner moved to quash the array of jurors and continue the case on the ground that one John D. Krug was summoned as a juror and that there is no one of that name, but that there is a John E. Krug. Mr. Krug was sworn as a witness and testified that his name is John E. Krug, that he is a farmer of Oxford township, and that there has been no other John Krug in Oxford township for thirty years. The motion was over-ruled and the process of picking the jury was continued to the time of going to press.

The following current business was transacted: Election of Margaret S. Cronise, widow of Andrew F. Cronise, deceased, not to take widow's exemption and to accept the provisions of the will.

Petition of Max Daxis, of Baltimore, Maryland, to have Howard J. Hartman make a sheriff deed to him for the property on York street, Gettysburg, sold by George R. Thompson, late sheriff, and a writ as the property of Guy A. Mundorff. Petition granted.

Petition of James W. Mauss, of Butler township, to have Sheriff Hartman make a sheriff deed to him for a piece of land in Straban township, sold under a writ by George R. Thompson, late sheriff, as the property of Jesse C. Shaffer. Petition granted.

The report of N. S. Heindel, auditor, appointed to audit the offices of the Prothonotary, Clerk of the Courts and Register and Recorder was presented to the Court and ordered filed.

A true bill was returned against Howard Hill on the charge of false pretense.

The widows' exempt list of Elizabeth Cooley, widow of Samuel Cooley, late of Menallen township, was approved by the Court and ordered to be filed.

WON ANOTHER GAME

College Basket Ball Team Defeated Susquehanna University.

By the score of 37 to 24, the Gettysburg boys defeated the basket ball team at Susquehanna University. The Selinsgrove on Saturday evening Ma-Baffie starred with 5 goals, while Campbell had 4, Williams 2, and Richards, 1.

LOST G. H. S. 300 class pin, between college gates and Citizen's Trust Company. Return to Times office.—advertisement 1

SOLES vulcanized on rubber boots at Stoner's Tire Repair Shop, 42 W. High street.—advertisement 1

LOST: Saturday evening rear Square, child's fur neck piece. Return to Minter's store.—advertisement 1

BADLY BURNED RESULT OF JOKE

Friend Holds Lighted Match to Gasoline Soaked Coat of Lester D. Sell at Littlestown. Flesh Burned to the Bone.

Lester S. Sell, an employe of the Littlestown Garage Company, had his arm burned so severely on Sunday afternoon that he will be incapacitated for an indefinite period and he narrowly escaped more serious injury, as the consequence of a "joke" by friends.

In working on a car during the morning the sleeve of Sell's coat became saturated with gasoline and he went to Stavely's restaurant for lunch without changing the garment. A number of his friends were in the place and one of them remarked in a joking spirit, "It would be a good plan to set you on fire."

Suiting the action to the word the young man lighted a match and held it against the sleeve. The gasoline ignited at once and burned the coat sleeve to shreds. Sell's arm was a mass of burned flesh from the hand to the elbow before the flame could be extinguished. At several places the muscle was burned to the bone.

Dr. H. S. Crouse was immediately summoned and it is thought the arm will not have to be amputated although Sell will not be able to resume employment for some time.

WHAT ONE SCHOOL DID

Prize Money Helped here. According to the Teacher.

A source of considerable satisfaction is the letter printed below. It is from the teacher of one of the schools that took part in The Times' subscription offer during the latter part of November. It is a satisfaction to The Times to know it was of help to the school and a satisfaction as well to know that the effort to help the school was appreciated. The letter tells what they did with the money.

"We wish to thank you very much for our prize money with which we bought a large Webster's dictionary, a set of Geographical Readers containing six books and ten other books of benefit for school use.

"We don't know how we got along without them, as they are in use every day. We certainly appreciate them. Sincerely, (Teacher's name)"

SCHOOL REPORT

Report of Attendance at Beamer's School for Fifth Month.

The following pupils were present every day at Beamer's school during the fifth month, ending January 21st: Mary Scott, Dale McCauslin, Mae Scott, Wilda McCauslin, Levada McCauslin, Leretta McCauslin, Mariam Black, Lawrence McCauslin, Eugene Tuckey, and Lloyd Brinkerhoff. Eliza A. Thomas, teacher.

WAYNESBORO SHOPS BUSY

Night Force Working at Emerson-Brantingham Plant.

A night force is now busy in the Emerson-Brantingham shops, working chiefly on orders for turret lathes received from a New York company. This work is in addition to the turning of the separator now under way on the recent requisition for five hundred such machines.

EDUCATIONAL MEETING

Menallen Township Teachers to Meet at Beamer's on Friday.

The teachers of Menallen township, will hold an educational meeting on Friday evening, January 28th at Beamer's school house. The meeting will begin at 7:30 and a general invitation is extended to those interested to be present.

COMING EVENTS

Affairs Scheduled for Gettysburg during the Coming Weeks.

Jan. 26—Basket Ball, Mt. St. Mary's Gymnasium.

Jan. 27—Free Lecture, Dr. G. W. Na-myth, Brua Chapel.

Jan. 29—Manhattan Ladies Quartet Concert, Brua Chapel.

Feb. 3—Free Lecture, Prof. Chester Allen, Brua Chapel.

PASTOR ELECTED FOR TOWN CHURCH

Trinity Reformed Congregation Elects New Minister. Good C. E. Meeting at St. James on Saturday.

Rev. Paul R. Pontius, of Butler, Pa., was elected pastor of Trinity Reformed church, of Gettysburg, at a congregational meeting held Sunday morning. Mr. Pontius' election was almost unanimous, there were but two dissenting votes from a total of nearly 180 cast.

As was previously announced in The Times, Mr. Pontius is a graduate of Franklin and Marshall and is at present engaged in post graduate work at the Union Theological Seminary in New York City. He occupied the pulpit of the church here a short time ago and made an excellent impression upon the congregation. He will take the place of Dr. T. J. Barkley, who resigned and is now pastor emeritus.

Mr. Pontius is unmarried and is expected to assume his new duties in the latter part of May. He has not yet accepted the call but it is thought that there is little doubt about his coming here.

C. E. MEETING

Delegates from all over the county were in attendance at the meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies held in St. James church on Saturday evening. State Secretary H. B. Macrory and D. A. Poling, a prominent Ohio, worked addressed twenty representatives of other societies in addition to a large gathering from town.

Charles C. Culp, president of St. James Christian Endeavor Society, introduced Mr. Macrory who delivered a practical Christian Endeavor talk. Rev. C. F. Floto, of Biglerville, introduced the main speaker of the evening, Daniel A. Poling, who addressed the meeting on "The Grip That Holds." The meeting was closed with a re-consecration service and a benediction by Rev. F. C. Sternat, pastor of the Lutheran churches at Abbotstown and East Berlin.

On Saturday afternoon the Advisory board were entertained together with the speakers of the evening by a luncheon at the Pitzer House. At a business meeting, the president of the Fairfield district, Roy W. Bream, was presented. The Pennsylvania State Bulletin will issue an Adams County edition for April and Mr. Macrory will visit Gettysburg in the interest of this issue some time next month.

REVIVAL SERVICES

Good Attendance Sunday. No Services Monday Evening.

A large attendance was reported for the revival service at the Methodist church Sunday evening. The features of the service were singing by a large choir, songs from a mixed quartette and a strong appeal by the pastor, which resulted in one conversion, two decisions and sixteen requests for prayer.

There will be no services to-night but they will be continued on Tuesday evening at 7:30. A cottage prayer meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon at the home of E. C. Williams, 15 Spangler avenue.

CONTEST SOCIAL

St. James Christian Endeavor Society will Entertain.

On Tuesday evening, the St. James Christian Endeavor Society will entertain its members and friends at a contest social, in the social room of the church.

COLONEL CAME BACK

Boat of Gettysburg Man in Collision at Sea.

The New York and Porto Rico steamship "Braze," on which Colonel Scott was to have sailed on Saturday, was rammed amship by an unknown vessel off Barbegat, N. J., and returned to New York with the assistance of the steamship "Greole." The "Braze" carried 94 passengers, none of whom are said to be hurt by the accident.

FOUND valuable article on Baltimore street. Finder may have same by identifying it. Inquire Times office.—advertisement 1

WARM SPELL MAY INJURE THE FRUIT

Grower Says Warm Weather Makes Buds Expand too soon and as a Consequence they will be Frozen.

The warm spell of yesterday caused much complaint on the part of some people while others appeared to be pleased with the turn of the temperature. Perhaps many of those that are so joyous will be less optimistic in the next few days.

The mutterings are coming from fruit growers all over the country. If the temperature of yesterday does not fall considerably within a short time, the fruit crop will be seriously injured. This statement came from a prominent fruit grower of the county last night. A spell of weather, such as was experienced yesterday for a duration lasting over 48 hours will cause the buds on fruit trees to swell and when the cold spell which is sure to follow later, arrives, they will be caught and frozen. The weather man's predictions are very unfavorable, but they cannot always be depended upon.

The optimistic person yesterday was the one who promenade the streets without an overcoat and basked in the sun. Perhaps when the gripe gets its grip on him, he will be more pessimistic.

"Yesterday's weather is the most dangerous of any variety," stated a well known physician last night. Grippe has already been playing havoc with people in this county and just when physicians believed that it would be driven out by the cold spell, more warm weather comes. Yesterday's weather is a breeder of pneumonia germs, and the public should be warned.

SUPERVISORS, NOTICE

Court Decision Says You Can't Charge for Teams.

That road supervisors may not charge for the hire of their teams in any way in connection with their road work was an important decision made by Judge Ryan in an opinion handed down in the Common Pleas Court in Bucks County.

The case came up on an appeal of the supervisors, William C. Becker, Robert Johnson and J. K. Cornell, from the report of the auditors of Southampton surcharging them in the amount of \$275.95, which they had charged for the use of their own teams in connection with their official duties.

The court's decision dismisses the appeal and enters judgment against the supervisors for the amount, with which they are surcharged.

WANT INCREASED FARES

Western Maryland Officials Attend Hearing in West Virginia.

Officials of the Western Maryland Railway Company are at Charleston West Virginia, to-day to appear before the Public Service Commission of West Virginia to present arguments in favor of the petition filed with the commission by the railway company asking for the right to increase passenger fares in that State from 2 to 3 cents a mile.

This is the second hearing granted the representatives of the railway company. About a month ago, when the petition was filed, the Western Maryland men appeared before the members of the commission and presented facts as to why higher passenger fares in West Virginia should be granted.

MRS. H. G. WOLF

Mrs. H. G. Wolf died at her home in McEldburg on Sunday afternoon from the effects of pneumonia. She is survived by a son and two daughters, one of whom is Mrs. Philip M. Bickle, of Gettysburg.

Mrs. Wolf has been a frequent visitor at the home of her daughter in Gettysburg and has many friends in Gettysburg.

FOR SALE: new brick house on Chamberburg street. All conveniences. Wm. McG. Tawney.—advertisement 1

Jan. 22—County C. E. Rally, St. James Church.

MANY DEATHS OVER SUNDAY

Aged People Taken in all Sections of the County. Young Gettysburg Man Dead. Frequent Visitor to town Expires.

MRS. CHARLOTTE KUMP
Mrs. Charlotte Kump, wife of Amos Kump of near Cashtown, died after a brief illness at her home on Saturday. Her age was 78 years, 2 months and 26 days. She contracted gripe during the early part of the week which developed into pneumonia and caused her death.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a brother, Harrison Brough, of Franklin township; two step daughters, Mrs. Bright Cook and Mrs. Minnie Showers; also by six grandchildren.

Mrs. Kump was a lifelong resident of the community in which she died. Her former home was one of the oldest houses in this section, having been erected more than 100 years ago.

The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Friends and relatives are asked to meet at the house and services will be conducted by Rev. T. C. Hesson at the Cashtown Reformed church. Interment will be made in the cemetery at Flohr's church.

LOUIS J. CLUNK

Louis J. Clunk, of near McSherrytown, died from a complication of diseases at his home early Sunday morning. Mr. Clunk had been engaged in farming in Conewago township, and was aged 68 years, 9 months and 13 days.

He was a son of the late Joseph and Catherine (Lawrence) Clunk, and was married to Miss Sarah Fleischman about 43 years ago. She survives him together with the following children: Felix, John and Louis, residing at home; Joseph, of Hanover; Miss Mary Clunk, at home; also by three brothers and sisters: George, John, and Joseph, Mother M. Antonette, of St. Joseph's convent at Philadelphia, Mrs. H. V. Lilly, of McSherrytown, Mrs. Frank Fenner, of Hanover, and Mrs. A. W. Eckenrode, of Emmitsburg.

The funeral will be held on Wednesday with a high mass of requiem in St. Mary's church. Rev. Fr. L. Augustus Reutter will officiate and interment will be made in the Sacred Heart cemetery at McSherrytown.

THOMAS ZIEGLER

After an illness of about one week Thomas Ziegler died late Saturday night at the home of his son, John W. Ziegler, in Latimore township. He was aged 88 years, 10 months and 17 days.

Mr. Ziegler is survived by his son, John W. Ziegler, of near York Springs; two daughters: Mrs. Anna D. Hart and Mrs. J. J. Weigle, both of Carlisle. Two brothers: John and Joseph Ziegler, of Mt. Holly; thirteen grandchildren and eight great grandchildren also survive.

Rev. P. H. Gladfelter, of York Springs, will conduct services at the house at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The interment will be at Sunnyside cemetery.

LUCIAN HELTZEL

Lucian Heltzel, of near New Oxford, died Sunday evening at his home from the effects of cancer from which he had long been a sufferer. He was aged about 60 years and had been a resident of Mt. Pleasant township, this county, all of his life, being one of the best known farmers in that section.

He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Jane Trone, and the following children: Mrs. Annie Bender, of Mt. Rock; Mrs. Nettie Noel, George and Wade Heltzel, all of York; and Kirby Heltzel. He is also survived by one brother, Edwin Heltzel, of Mt. Pleasant township.

BENJAMIN SWIFT

Benjamin Philip Swift, an invalid son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Swift, died at the home of his parents on Buford avenue, Saturday evening. He was 24 years, 7 months, and 22 days old. In addition to his parents, three sisters, Edna, Amy, and Edith, survive him.

The funeral was held with private services at the house at 2:30 Monday afternoon and interment made in Evergreen Cemetery.

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HANOVER GAINING

Triennial assessment shows increase in Value of Property.

The triennial assessment for the five wards of Hanover shows an increase of \$39,630.00. The total assessment for Hanover for 1915 was \$276,685.00 and for 1916 is \$316,315.00.

UNCLAIMED MAIL

Letters Awaiting Call at the Gettysburg Post Office.

Mail for the following remains unclaimed at the Gettysburg post office: Mr and Mrs. George Braeme, E. G. Hall, C. D. Hippley, John C. Remington, Mrs. George W. Weaver, Mary Tohe.

NO STARVATION IN GERMANY IS SEEN

Merely Thought of Hunger Has Produced Existing Outcry.

NEVER WANT FOR ANY FOOD

German Stomach, Accustomed to an Overabundance, Is Being Improved by the Regulations—Prices Have Been Only Slightly Advanced—Eating About 15 Per Cent Less.

The German stomach is an imperious organ, very jealous of its economic rights, very touchy, accustomed to be overnourished. To trifle with its habits entails perilous political consequences. For many years it has carried on a winning feud with those who speculate in its needs for private gain. And now it hates England and clamors for the vengeance of heaven not on account of anything it has suffered, which, according to German scientists, is no more than was good for it, but because England threatened to starve it. Really it has never been hungry since the war began. If its condition had been at any time so uncomfortable as the world supposed it to be the war had then ended, says a Berlin correspondent of the New York Times.

There is no scarcity of food in Germany actually. That is to say, there now is and has been always plenty to eat. There has been only too little of this or that, made up for by more than enough of something else. A deficit of grain is offset by an abundance of potatoes, a deficit of meat by an increased supply of fish, a deficit of fat by an abundance of honey, and so on. And as the way has gone through two harvests, its conditions tend rather to improve than to become worse and as the surplus food production of Roumania, Bulgaria and Turkey now is added to the resources of Germany and Austria-Hungary, it is not easy to imagine how the German people are going to be starved. They are eating, satisfactorily, perhaps 15 per cent less than they normally would and yet, perhaps, 10 per cent more than they need to eat. The case is somewhat better than the statistical statement would imply, since, owing to rigid methods of regulation, much waste of distribution is eliminated. A country that has normally produced only 85 per cent of its own food, suddenly cut off from its outside supplies, must be supposed to have a deficit of 15 per cent, but where formerly was waste and now is none the people will be able to consume 85 per cent of the normal amount plus the former waste, which now they also eat. That alone is a considerable factor, though it cannot be statistically expressed.

Meeting Kriegsbröt.

On entering Germany for the first time since the war began one has certain disconcerting expectations. One feels the weight of much beautiful white Dutch bread consumed in Holland, camel fashion. Here are 65,000,000 people living on diminished rations. One is prepared to see their stomachs, through their eyes and to be regarded oneself with envy as a well fed visitor from the outside world, where there is everything to eat. It is true that the color, texture and quality of bread change abruptly. At the frontier station is "Kriegsbröt" (war bread), brown, sliced very thin and a little soggy. On the walls are posters reminding travelers of their obligation to eat moderately in wartime. But the coffee is very good, the gravy rich, the potatoes delicious, the coffee only Prussian, and the cost is, altogether 2 marks and 60 pfennigs—that is, about 75 cents. This is really not so bad, and on second scrutiny the people look not in the least undernourished. On the railway station counter are cakes and things like "pies" and ham and cheese and sausage sandwiches. On the spießwägen, proceeding toward Berlin, the bread is lighter. In the form of rolls, the "Kriegsbröt" one wants to eat, including butter and one begins to part with one's recollections of the last meat in Holland. At the hotel the next morning one receives with breakfast his daily bread ration, but here the bread is really very good. It is a meatless day, the waiter tells you. For lunch there is a cold other fish, with plenty of potatoes and dairy things in sauce, but, of course, this is luxurious living. For dinner one goes to a popular restaurant to see what a meatless day is really like. There one has a roasted egg, fried potatoes, string beans in sauce, and butter, with coffee and very palatable bread, for about 90 cents.

"It is hard," says the pro-German American president, "is still cheaper in Berlin than in New York, although prices have gone up about 20 per cent on the average. Here, for example, a plate of meat and potatoes that was for nearly 1 mark, another at 1 mark 20 pfennigs, that was 1 mark 20 pfennigs before, and so on down the list. One who has not come up at all."

Coins Words to Describe Wife.

Two married men, who were introduced to a young man in a court in Baltimore, to the effect that the wife's attitude toward him was that of a "coin" and that the husband's attitude toward her was that of a "coin."

Sickness and Destitution.

While much attention has been recently given to the subject of accident prevention, yet accidents cause only about one-seventh as much destitution as sickness.

HUGHES' SILENCE WORRIES LEADERS

Looked on as Most Likely Choice of Republicans.

CANDIDATES IN THE SENATE

When Democrats Had Long List of Names to Choose From in Baltimore Not One Came From the Senate. Now All G. O. P. Possibilities Are Senators Except a Judge and Colonel.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Jan. 24.—[Special.]—Four years ago when there were so many Democratic candidates for president none was from the United States senate, although two of the most prominent possibilities were in the house of representatives. This year there are no candidates for president in the house on the Republican side, although there are several candidates and a number of possibilities in the senate. And yet the impression seems to be that the Republican candidate will not be a senator. Something tells the average politician that the Republican choice will fall outside of the senate.

A Sphinx With Whiskers.

Very seldom do cartoonists put whiskers on a sphinx, but it appears that the sphinx of the Republican presidential situation is ornamented with whiskers. "That animated feather duster," as William R. Hearst once remarked, and Hearst knew, for he ran against him for governor and was defeated, is giving Republicans a great deal of concern these days. If the associate justice of whom we hear so much does not break the silence pretty soon there is danger of some fellows blowing up.

Clark and Bryan.

All there is to the story that Bryan would be likely to support Champ Clark in order to defeat Wilson for the nomination is the fact that one or two active Bryan men have been inquiring around to see if Champ could be induced to run against Wilson. They didn't even go so far as to offer Bryan support. Nor did they approach Clark with the proposition. One can readily imagine how much faith Champ would put in a Bryan proposition after his experience at Baltimore.

Oleomargarine in the Pot.

"We have put everything into the pot," remarked a member of the ways and means committee. "We are going to put in everything which would seem to afford the possibility of taxation in order to raise money for war preparation. When the time comes we will sort out that which seems least burdensome to the people."

Among things which "have come into the pot" is a proposition to reduce the tax on oleomargarine to a revenue producing point. At present it is prohibitive almost, but if it was simply taxed to get revenue it is estimated that \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000 would be raised.

Williams' Belief in Wilson.

It seemed almost impossible that John Sharp Williams should sound the tocsin that one man power is desirable, he who has denounced long and eloquently on the beauties of democracy. Speaking of our foreign relations, he said:

"I am sorry that congress had to meet right now. I think that our diplomatic affairs would have been more wisely handled by a man of long vision and deep vision and tender vision than they are apt to be when they are made the game of a battle-shore and shuttlecock on the floor of the two houses."

Preparedness and Peace.

It happened that there were two conventions for preparedness and a convention for peace and anti-preparedness going on at one big hotel in Washington. The sessions were being held at the same time. It was all the hotel employees could do to keep them from getting mixed and to steer the right people into the right place. We have our war troubles in Washington as well as elsewhere.

What's He There For?

What does Jim Mann imagine he is in the senate during a recent speech. "It is characteristic of the most prominent states that their chief function is to criticize people who run for office and are sometimes successful in being elected. They become shining marks for the critics."

Critic's Shining Mark.

Senator Sherman introduced this in the senate during a recent speech. "It is characteristic of the most prominent states that their chief function is to criticize people who run for office and are sometimes successful in being elected. They become shining marks for the critics."

Mean Retort.

Discontented Wife—"Several of the men whom I refused when I married you are richer than you are now." Husband—"In that way."—Boston Transcript.

BASEBALL DOPE ABOUT THE PLAYERS

Results of Statistics Compiled by League President. Chambersburg Players. What Gus Boyne has to Say.

According to a report just compiled at the instance of President Boyer of the Blue Ridge League, Gettysburg breaks even with Hagerstown for second place in fielding while Bigler holds the honors for base stealing. Howard has the record of having pitched more innings than any other pitcher and Plank played more different positions than any other man, having held down seven jobs during the year. Kane, another Gettysburg player, played at six different places and both he and Plank have high fielding averages.

Two hundred players took part in games of the different teams. Thirty of these played with more than one team during the season. Scherdel, the high school pitcher of the Hanover team, was the star performer. He took part in 23 games and had a batting average of .368, and a perfect fielding record. He is credited with 15 victories and 3 defeats, and is considered the marvel of the league.

Martinsburg had the record of being the best hitting team while Hanover held second place. Orrison, who took part in 77 games is considered the league's best hitter although his average of .341 is below that of Scherdel. Bigler's base stealing record was secured by making 38 steals in the 69 games he played. Mahaffie stole 32 bases in 63 games. Mackert and Starr, of Hanover, were also prominent in the base stealing business.

Chambersburg Has.

Manager Hooper has the following players ready to sign contracts: Arthur H. Cramer, a star twirler of the shut-out variety, from the coal regions around Freeland, Penna. S. J. Leale, a pitcher formerly with Dickinson University and ranked among the foremost of college twirlers; "Bugs" Snyder, known well in B. R. L. (and elsewhere); Worthington, of Johns Hopkins University, a former star with Princeton. This last one is scheduled to cover second.

What Boyne Says

Gus Boyne said the other day that he would under no circumstances play on the Frederick club during the coming season even though he is held under the reserve clause by pilot Morrison. He declares that the club management wrongfully accused him of "laying down on the job" last summer in a letter to Secretary Farrell and adds that never yet has he forgotten that accusation.

Umpire Derr

Doll Derr, an umpire in the Blue Ridge last season, has made application to handle the indicator in the Southern league.

DUEL WITH GERMS MAY END CHICAGO DOCTORS' DISPUTE

Challenge For Combat to Death With Bacilli Has Been Issued.

"Gentlemen, choose your germs." It is a duel with disease laden bacteria as the weapons. The principals are Dr. John Dill Robertson, Chicago health commissioner, and Dr. Charles E. M. Fischer. Time, place and seconds have not been agreed upon yet.

A question of medical honor and the public health is at stake. The challenge calls for a settlement of the question by a test of bacteriological knowledge, with vindication for the winner and disease and possibly death for the loser.

Here is the challenge: "As there appears to be no satisfactory end in sight to the controversy which seems to have arisen between us regarding our respective abilities to diagnose the micro-organisms responsible for our present epidemic disease, I am herewith suggesting a means by which we may arrive at a conclusion satisfactory to ourselves and the public. I submit for your consideration the following conditions of a demonstration:

"First.—We will both personally prepare five cultures of germs, all of common type, three of them non-pathogenic and two of them pathogenic.

"Second.—Through a referee mutually selected, we will exchange the prepared cultures.

"Third.—Each of us will personally examine and diagnose the cultures and pick out the three harmless ones.

"Fourth.—To show our faith in our ability to pick out the harmless germs from the dangerous ones, we will inoculate ourselves with the three cultures we select as the safe ones."

The challenge comes as a development of the exchange of verbal blows which has been going on for some weeks between Drs. Fischer and Robertson.

The two physicians are so much alike in appearance that mutual friends who often mistake them for one another, call them the "doubles." On the other hand, they are so much alike in their opinions on matters pertaining to the public health that they are almost always opposed to one another on any question of proper living.

LETTERS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

Correspondents Send in Items of Personal and General Interest in their Communities. Short Paragraphs.

BIGLERVILLE

Biglerville—Mr. and Mrs. E. Clark and son, Wilson, of Baltimore, were recent guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Isaac Wilson, on East York street.

Miss Pearl Rice spent Saturday in Carlisle.

I. C. Mummert, teacher of the High School, is ill at his home on South Main street.

Rev. Isaac Wilson has gone to Bird-in-Hand, Lancaster County, to officiate at a funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Layton Rice, of Arendtsville, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Waybright Rice, on North Main street.

G. H. Knouse entertained the officers and teachers of the Lutheran Sunday School at his home on Friday evening.

Miss Harriet Garretson is spending some time at the home of her aunt Mrs. Wesley Weigle, in York.

An interesting program was rendered at the missionary meeting in the Reformed church on Sunday evening.

Roy Lauver is ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lauver, East York street.

Miss Vera Becker, of Idaville, was a recent guest at the home of the Misses Heigues.

Mrs. Howard Spangler, who recently underwent an operation in the City Hospital, Harrisburg, is spending some time at the home of her parents, near Gettysburg.

W. E. Kapp is on a business trip to Philadelphia.

HAMMER'S HALL

Evangelist Has Large Audience on Sunday.

Pfautz's church was filled on Sunday night, notwithstanding the darkness of the night, and the bad condition of the country roads.

Evangelist Clapper announced that next Sunday he would preach three sermons. There will be a delegation coming here from Gettysburg, and those wishing to take in all three sermons, should bring their dinners and suppers along, also feed for their horses. The meals will be served in the basement of the church.

William F. Carbaugh, who has been at the hospital under the care of a number of doctors, it is said, is not making any improvement. Now, a laughter and one son are all under the doctor's care. The doctor fears that an operation for appendicitis will be required on the son.

S. S. W. Hammers has had several buyers for his park, as has H. N. Kepner for his farm and apple-butter works.

Elder C. L. Pfautz has recovered from a severe attack of gripe and is again able to be about.

DOESN'T LIKE BACHELORS.

Priest Says They Are Seldom of Value to Any Community.

Bumps for bachelors are handed out by the Rev. H. M. O'Neil, pastor of the Holy Name church of Elmhurst, Pa. "The bachelor," says Father O'Neil, "is usually of little value to any community."

"Bachelors seldom accomplish much in life."

"Bachelors are not at the head of great governments or in work for the betterment of the world."

"Bachelors are not leaders in civil affairs."

"Bachelors, going on in their selfishness, rarely do their share for humanity."

"The bachelor can generally well be spared."

The sermon was incidental to the first mission of the year and was addressed to unmarried men.

BACK BROKEN. NOW WALKS.

Dr. Keath's Pluck Saved Him. Philadelphia Physicians Say.

Dr. Jim Keath, the Jefferson Medical college student whose back was broken two years ago when he fell from a third story window, was able to walk alone the other day for the first time. Surgeons and nurses congratulated him as he proceeded a hundred feet along a corridor.

Just after the fall his life was despaired of by the surgeons, but his pluck, they say, carried him along. After a time he could sit up, and after that he was wheeled in a chair every day to and from the recreation room.

At his graduation last June he was carried to the platform to receive his diploma.

In New Hampshire and Europe.

Marcheston, N. H., has one curiosity. It is a three tenement house. On the first floor lives a French family, on the second a German family and on the third an English family. They never talk about the war and are the best of friends.



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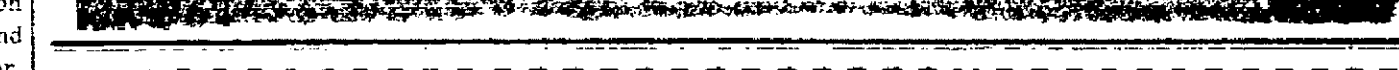
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MAKE ALL FIGHT IS LEAGUE PLAN

Compulsory Military Training For U. S. is Urged.

CUT OUT WAR PROFITS, TOO

Trade Mobilization to Compel Civil Plans to Bear Share of Burden is Favored.

Washington, Jan. 24.—With a single dissenting vote, the congress of the National Security League went on record in favor of compulsory military training, whereby under the discipline and control of the federal authorities.

This declaration was embodied in the first of a series of resolutions adopted at a largely-attended and enthusiastic meeting. The single dissenting vote was cast by the governor of Indiana. He voted for the other resolutions, all of which were unanimously adopted.

A greater building program for the navy than has been outlined by the navy department was urged as essential in another resolution adopted.

Next to this ringing declaration in favor of compulsory military training, the greatest enthusiasm was shown over the adoption of a resolution providing for placing a fair share of the burdens of war on civilians in the event of hostilities. This resolution was offered by Bernard J. Rothwell, delegate of the Boston chamber of commerce, and was adopted without debate after the set of resolutions presented by the committee on resolutions had been adopted one at a time and then as a whole.

The Rothwell resolution, which is well calculated to answer the cry of the pacifists that all organizations favoring preparedness are more interested in the dividends of munitions factories than in the patriotism, follows:

"Whereas, The misfortune of war would demand from the young manhood of the nation the supreme offering of life itself; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That a fundamental factor in the problems of preparedness should be such intensive mobilization of the productive, industrial and commercial forces of the United States as would insure in time of war the contribution of their fullest resources at a restricted profit, to be regulated by the government."

The only discussion of this resolution was a brief statement by its author, who said that he believed it to be the sentiment of the congress that the young men of the country should not make the only sacrifices. This statement was greeted with prolonged applause. When the resolution was read before the delegates it was received with cheers and adopted unanimously.

The league also went on record as endorsing Secretary Garrison's efforts to obtain an increase in the regular army, going further and urging the adoption of the recommendation of the war college that the mobile regular army within the United States consist of four full divisions of infantry, in addition to auxiliary forces.

BEAR RIPS OFF BOY'S FINGERS

Animal Snaps Lad as He Shoves Peanuts Through Bars of Cage.

New York, Jan. 24.—While feeding peanuts to the bears in the Central Park menagerie, Edward Wallace, twelve years old, reached a hand in between the bars and one of the animals bit off two of his fingers.

The boy, screaming with pain, drew back from the cage while several persons nearby called for assistance. An ambulance was sent from Reception hospital and Dr. Dougherty took the boy to that institution. He was placed on the operating table and what was left of the two torn digits was amputated.

Wallace had gone to the park to make an inspection of the menagerie, and purchased some peanuts to throw to the animals. There was a crowd around the bear pens when he reached them, but he managed to edge his way in close and was handing out the nuts to the bears when one of the animals bit him.

Tricked by Spy, Loses Job.

Washington, Jan. 24.—F. J. Johnson, federal deputy marshal, who was in charge of Ignatius T. T. Lincoln, confessed German spy, when the latter escaped from custody in Brooklyn last Saturday, was removed from office by direction of Attorney General Gregory. Department of justice officials, after examining a report on the circumstances of Lincoln's escape, decided that Johnson had been unduly negligent.

Kills Interned German Sailor.

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 24.—Stephen Hummel, an interned German sailor, who came here to work until his ship could go to sea again after the war, was crushed to death by a slide of ten tons of rock in the Meyer quarry at Northampton.

1 Dead; 1 Hurt in Mine Explosion. Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 24.—A Pottsville miner was killed at the Blackwood colliery, and John Borzage, probably fatally injured, when the mine drilled into a dynamite charge that failed to explode when prepared for a blast.

Economic Thievery. Kansas has developed a thief with some ideas on economics. The state 18 animals from a Kansas farm, and the fields of the law refuse to take the scent.—Houston Post.

WILL MAKE \$25,000 IN 100 BUSINESS DAYS

Young Man to Start on a Novel Quest.

New York, Jan. 24.—"Dime Fortune" stands ready to smile on any youth who is willing to go out and work for what he wants and who is sincere in his efforts.

"I will make \$25,000 in one hundred business days, starting without a dollar of capital and without accepting money, credit or anything of value that I have not earned during that period."

The statement was made by Walter John Burke, a Brooklyn youth, who leaves city hall next Saturday afternoon in search of the fortune which he hopes to acquire with such facility that it will dazzle even the speculators in "war brides."

Young Mr. Burke is closely guarding the details of his scheme, but to prove that he is in earnest and has confidence in his undertaking, he has announced that he will turn his income during the one hundred days of his experiment over to charity if he has less than \$25,000 to his credit when the time has expired.

"My idea is something entirely new," Burke explained. "I cannot make public the details, for it would upset everything."

BOYS' CONDITION CRITICAL

Two More May Die as Result of Cave-In.

Mt. Holly, N. J., Jan. 24.—Russell Street and Bertram Sellers, the boy who was so badly injured when the upper part of a cave, in which they were playing collapsed, and Edward Powell and Ernest Street were killed, continue in a critical condition at the hospital here.

They appear to have been so badly crushed that the full extent of their injuries is not known.

Hundreds of persons visited the scene of the accident to see where the two lives were snuffed out.

DOVE IS A HYPOCRITE

Ornithologist Says It Fights All the and is No Peace Emblem.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Peace lovers had better find another bird to become symbolical of their ideas, for the dove is not a bird of peace, but is one of the most pugnacious little fighters. In fact, the dove fights a large part of his waking hours.

This was but one of the many interesting points brought out before the Audubon society of the District of Columbia by Norman McClintock, of Pittsburgh, ornithologist and motion picture photographer.

GALIPOLI FIGHTER A THIEF

Off to Prison for a Year for Stealing a Purse.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 24.—Discharged from the British army after participation in the Gallipoli campaign, Earl Rogers, soldier of fortune, came to Wilkes-Barre and spent just one day in freedom.

Rogers was sentenced to a year in the county prison after conviction of the theft of a wallet from a guest at Hotel Swanton, where Rogers had accepted a place as bookkeeper.

The army record, or dated in Judge Rogers' court, called for him for one year, and he was finally sentenced.

MARTIN LUTHER'S RING

Betrothal Jewel is Placed on Exhibition in New York.

New York, Jan. 24.—The betrothal ring of Martin Luther, considered one of the most valuable pieces of jewelry ever brought to this country, has been loaned to the New York Historical Society and placed on exhibition there.

It is believed that this is the first time the jewel has ever been shown publicly. It is composed of an intricate device of gold work, set with a ruby and carved with all the symbols of the passion. The inscription reads, "D. Martin Luther—Catharina V. Bore, 13 June, 1523."

Hens Lay as in Summer. York, Pa., Jan. 24.—York county hens, lying by the thermometer rather than by the calendar, were so prolific this week that the price of eggs dropped to twenty-five cents a dozen in the markets—a midwinter record.

Richardson 80 Degrees Below Zero. Seattle, Jan. 24.—Richardson, Alaska, sixty miles from Fairbanks, reported eighty degrees below zero, according to despatches from the far north territory.

THE LAND'S FIRST NEED.

Fertile is the first word in farming. It is the first consideration in placing a value on new lands. It is first mentioned when old farms are sold. It is the first problem that confronts the beginner as well as the expert who takes up the cultivation of new crops on new fields.

It is first in a list of questions asked by those seeking help in farming. The solution of the fertility problem makes many other problems comparatively easy to solve.

The quick and easy way to get fertility is to buy it. It can be had in bags in the form of commercial fertilizers or by the animal in the form of animal manure.

But this method of fertilization requires cash capital and does not fulfill all the needs of the land. Since we have learned that a fertile soil is a mixture of mineral and vegetable substances, teeming with germ life, fermenting with innumerable minute plants and chemical changes, we have learned that a soil needs more than mere mineral plant foods to enable it to grow the maximum crops.

It has long been known that legumes and green manures are beneficial to soils, but only recently have we learned to use these green manures to build a soil up permanently and to keep it up at the lowest cost.

THEY PUZZLED HUXLEY.

Terms in Which He Found It Difficult to Define His Belief.

Huxley once wondered whether he was a deist, an atheist, an agnostic, a pantheist, a materialist or a skeptic, an idealist, a Christian, an infidel or a freethinker. And the more he reflected the deeper his problem. What answer will any one make? Dr. James C. Fernald in his work "Synonyms and Antonyms" defines each according to his own belief, as follows:

"The deist admits the existence of God, but denies that the Christian Scriptures are a revelation from Him. The atheist denies that there is a God. The agnostic denies either that we do know or that we can know whether there is a God. The skeptic doubts divine revelation."

"The infidel is an opprobrious term that might once almost have been said to be geographical in its range. The crusaders called all Mohammedans infidels and were so called by them in return. The word is commonly applied to any decided opponent of an accepted religion."

"A freethinker is inclined or addicted to free thinking, especially one who rejects authority or inspiration in religion. A materialist takes interest only in the material or bodily necessities and comforts of life. A pantheist accepts the doctrine of pantheism. An idealist idealizes or seeks an ideal or ideal conditions. A Christian is one whose profession and life conform to the teaching and example of Christ."

"Pantheism is the doctrine that God and the universe are identical. It contrasts with atheism as the positive denial and with agnosticism as the dogmatic doubt of the existence of God. It opposes that form of deism which denies the divine immanence and separates God from the world."

Keeping a Lamp Clean.

Once in two months I separate the wicks from the burners and boil them in soda water. In about ten or fifteen minutes I take them out and clean them with an old toothbrush, rinse and dry. I lay the wicks straight to keep their shape. They will be white and pliable. Then fill the lamps with kerosene and let them stand awhile until all discolored have vanished. Drain, wipe out and refill with kerosene, adding a teaspoonful of salt to each lamp. Lamps treated this way give a beautiful bright light and there is no fear of an explosion.—Boston Post.

Sing Different Songs.

"Pa, you sing bass in the choir, don't you?" asked Bobby Smithers.

"Yes, my son," replied Smithers.

"And you sing soprano?"

"That's right."

"Well, there's one thing I don't understand."

"What is it?"

"Mrs. Tompkins says you sing mighty big in public and mighty small at home."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The New Chauffeur Era.

Old Gentleman (engaging new chauffeur)—I suppose I can write to your last employer for your character? Chauffeur—I am sorry to say, sir, each of the last two gentlemen I have been with died in my service.—London Punch.

SCIENCE—INVENTION.

Cleaning Automobile Lamps.

Much of the efficiency of the electric or parabola lamp depends upon the cleanliness of the reflectors, says the Automobile Dealer and Repairer. As a rule, the reflectors are silver plated and highly polished. They require different treatment from the gas head lights, as the latter are of glass and are not as easily scratched. If the electric headlight becomes dirty do not wipe it, but employ a stream of cold water to displace the dust or dirt and permit the surface to dry by the air.

If the reflectors become dull after continued service they can be partially restored by using a soft chamois, with red rouge or crocus. This material should be used sparingly, and the chamois must be soft as well as free from wrinkles. Place a wad of cotton about the size of an egg within the chamois. This will afford a smooth surface for wiping.

When properly used crocus will not scratch the silver plate. Moisten the chamois with alcohol, then apply the crocus to the chamois. Press very lightly and wipe with a rotary motion.

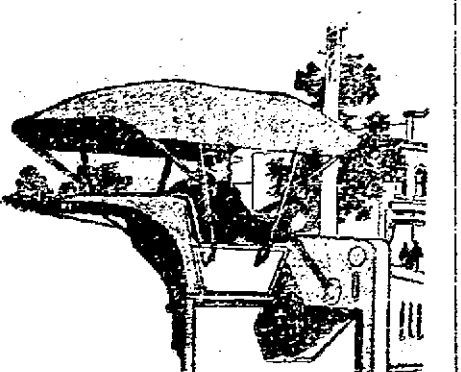
Garage Ventilation.

As we understand it and surely there is no possibility of too clear information upon the subject, there are two kinds of dangerous gases incident to running the automobile, carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide, says the Automobile Dealer and Repairer. Carbon dioxide is a non-supporter of life, and, although not in the strict sense a poisonous gas, to remain in an atmosphere of it for any length of time would be likely to prove fatal. Thus it is that to stay in the vicinity of the exhaust even for a little while and where it cannot be displaced quickly by the air as it is a very heavy gas, causes headache or faintness. Carbon monoxide, it appears, is the product of incomplete combustion and is far more fatal in its effects.

The lesson is easy and simple. It is that an engine should not be run more than a few minutes in a closed garage.

Top For Automobile Truck.

The style of automobile top illustrated is specially adapted for truck trucks where its rear protection causes no interference with the load, says Popular Mechanics.



PROJECTING PART OF TOP IS SAME FOR TRUCK AND REAR.

Mechanics. It will be noticed that the top differs from the ordinary single seat top in that it projects to the rear as well as to the front, keeping the driver's back shaded without the use of a curtain, which hinders the view when glancing backward.

Alaska's Mineral Output.

The Alaska mining industry as a whole was more prosperous in 1915 than in any previous year. This is indicated by the value of the total mineral output, which is estimated to have been \$22,000,000, compared with \$19,000,000 for 1914. The highest value for any previous year was in 1906, when Alaska produced \$23,378,428 worth of minerals, but this was at a time when the dominant players of Fairbanks and Nome were yielding their greatest returns, says a United States geological survey bulletin. The high value of the mineral output in 1915 was due in large measure to the extraordinary amount of copper that was mined. Preliminary estimates indicate this to be \$12,500,000 pounds, valued at \$14,000,000.

Cheaper Trucks After the War.

As the agent war has accelerated the demand for motor-trucks in peaceful pursuits, so likewise it has hastened the growth of mechanical haulage and has enabled manufacturers to reduce prices as a consequence of tremendous increase in production. True, a study of comparative prices of first quality motor-trucks will not reveal any noteworthy reductions, but immediately the war stops, and even before, there must come a conspicuous reduction in present prices. Manufacturers will make the reduction both from necessity and from choice.—Engineering Magazine.

Advantages of a Compass.

A small compass placed where it is easily accessible serves to keep one posted as to the direction traveled.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

HOT BREADS.

PARKER HOUSE CORN CAKE.—Mix one cupful of flour, one cupful of Indian meal, one and one-half teaspoonsful of cream of tartar, one teaspoonful of salt, and a little salt together, then mix one egg, one-half cupful sugar, piece of butter size of an egg and one cupful of warm milk, together. Pour this into the dry mixture, beat well and bake.

Scour MBR Griddlecakes.—Mix one egg, well beaten, with one cupful of milk, half a teaspoonful soda, quarter teaspoonful salt and cupful of flour, a quarter of flour. Drop spoonfully on griddle on hot griddle. Brown well on one side. When puffed and bubbled and cooked on edges, remove and cook.

Potato Pancakes.—Take eight large potatoes, pared and grated. Squeeze out the water and add one cupful of sweet milk, one-half teaspoonful baking powder, one teaspoonful salt, four well beaten eggs, one cupful flour. Bake on hot griddle. Serve with maple syrup.

Brown Bread, Bread made bread into small pieces. There should be one and one-half cupfuls. Add two cupfuls cold water, cover and let stand overnight. In the morning rub through a colander and add three quarters cupful molasses and one and one-half cupfuls each rye meal, granulated cornmeal and Graham flour, mixed and sifted with two teaspoonsful of soda and one and one-half teaspoonsful salt, then add one and one-half cupfuls cold water. Stir until well mixed and fill one pound baking powder this mixture. Steam two hours.

Cream of Tartar Biscuits.—One quart of flour, two teaspoonsful cream of tartar, one teaspoonful of baking soda, one teaspoonful of salt. Stir all together four times. Rub in with your hand one tablespoonful of lard or butter. Use milk and water (three over half milk) enough to make it as soft as you can knead and roll about three-quarters of an inch thick and bake in hot oven fifteen or twenty minutes.

Apple Muffins.—One cupful of milk, two and one-half cupfuls of flour or less, perhaps two cupfuls, one tablespoonful of sugar, a pinch of salt, one tablespoonful of melted butter and lard, two teaspoonsful of baking powder.

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right front on large "O" perforations, which also indicate center-front. Form tucked in front and back; stitching 1 1/2 inch from folded edges, terminating the stitching at single small "o" perforations. Press tucks, turning the folded edges toward center-front and center-back. Close center-back seam. Sew front and back to side front and side back, corresponding notches even and if desired, stitch front as illustrated on reverse side of envelope to form a pocket. Close under-arm and shoulder seams, also the seams of extensions as notched. Form inverted pleat at extensions, creasing on lines of single small "o" perforations, bring the folded edges together at the seam, stitch along lines of double "o" perforations and press. Turn hem at lower edge of dress or, small "o" perforations. Adjust belt, center-back even, upper edge of belt at large "O" perforation in front at under-arm seam.

For the open neck it will be necessary to cut out neck edge of front on small "o" perforations. Sew square collar to neck edge, center-backs and large "O" perforations even.

Next, gather the sleeve between double "O" perforations; sew sleeveband to lower edge, notches and edges even. Close seam as notched. Turn under edge of cuff on slot perforations, lap to small "o" perforations, notches even; stitch 1/2 inch from fold; line cuff and sew to sleeveband as notched, small "o" perforation in cuff at seam of sleeveband. Sew sleeve in armhole as notched, single small "o" perforation at shoulder seam, easing in any fullness.

If desired, the upper part of the waist may be made of plaid or some contrasting material.

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EVERY THREE MINUTES ONE DIES IN THE U. S.

The Anti-Tuberculosis Society illustrates the frightful toll of consumption by extinguishing a light every three minutes, and shows that it is the man or woman, girl or boy, who neglects cold, whose blood is impure, who feels weak and languid, who is the very one to contract tuberculosis—and none are immune.

STORY OF A WEATHER VANE.

Why a Grasshopper Tops the Royal Exchange in London.

If you ever go to London among the places of interest there you will visit the public buildings known as the Royal Exchange. There is a cupola at the top of that building. Rising from that cupola is an iron rod with a large grasshopper on it for a weather vane. And there is an interesting story connected with that grasshopper. It is this: One day, more than 300 years ago, a mother in England had an infant, a few months old, which she wanted to get rid of. So she wrapped it up in a shawl and laid it down under a bush in a field and left it there to die unless some one should find it and take care of it.

Shortly after a little boy was coming home from school. As he passed by the place he heard a grasshopper chirping in the field. He stopped a moment to listen to it. Then he climbed over a fence to get it. But just as he was about to catch it he caught sight of the baby close by. He let the grasshopper go and, taking the baby in his arms, carried it home to his mother. She took charge of the baby and brought him up. He turned out to be a good, plucky boy. He was always divided in doing what he knew was right and in not doing what was wrong.

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"WHY SHE EVEN STAYED HER FAMILY A MONTH TO BE ABLE TO BUY A THEATER BOX NEXT TO THE INFERIOR AND THE ONLY DO HER ANY GOOD."



"WELL, WELL, I SUPPOSE SHE'S HAPPY NOW!"

"OH LOOK, MA, SHE WENT IN."

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A Double Secret
By LUNICE BLAKE

Mr. George Smith at fifty looked for hard to a lonely old age. He wished to marry, but there was an impediment in the way of his marrying. At thirty he had married a girl of seventeen against her parents' wishes. Seventeen is a tender age for a woman to be placed in antagonism with her mother, and a husband who under such circumstances attempts to contend with a mother-in-law is quite likely to get the worst of it. One day, but a month after his wedding, at the end of the honeymoon—Mr. Smith went home from business to find the newly built nest deserted. His wife's mother had swooped down on her and carried off her chick.

It was six months before the bereaved husband could discover where his wife had been taken. Then he also learned that she was dead. At any rate, his mother-in-law wrote him to that effect. But whether the lady did so that she might cause him to cease to pursue her daughter or whether she wrote the truth he was not quite certain.

But now, twenty years from the date of his marriage, he met a maiden lady verging on forty with whom he was very companionable. He never told her about his marriage, for he made up his mind to win her if possible and feared that if he admitted any doubt as to his being free to marry she would not take the risk. When he proposed to her she surprised him with a confession. She informed him that the name she bore was not hers legally. There was a long story to tell in connection with the matter of her passing under an assumed name that she would tell him if he cared to hear it, after which he might judge for himself if he wished to marry her.

Smith after a few moments of thought replied that there was a matrimonial hitch in his own case. If he told her what it was it would always worry her; if he knew what hers was it would worry him. Would it not be well for him to keep his secret and vice versa? In his own case there was not one chance in a thousand of there being any trouble. She said that the same was true in her own case. She would take the risk if he would. After awhile they concluded that what had been proposed was the sensible thing to do, and they were married.

Things don't always turn out as expected. Instead of there now being two causes for worry there were four. Mr. Smith in addition to having his own affair to trouble him had that of his wife. Mrs. Smith also had two causes of worry where she had had one. Then, too, curiosity came in to make matters worse.

The prime difficulty in their now unburdening themselves to each other was that fearing they would not add here to their resolution of keeping their secret they had each registered a vow to maintain it inviolate. Mr. Smith, who was engrossed in business, did not find it difficult to keep his vow but Mrs. Smith, who had little to occupy her mind, dwelt upon her husband's secret continually. One day she said to him:

"Dear, I have concluded that I must know your secret. True, you have made a vow not to reveal it, but that vow was made to me, and I release you."

"Why cannot you dismiss this matter from your mind?" he asked. "If I tell you my secret I am entitled to know yours. I don't wish to know it possibly if I did I might feel something, do something, say something, to spoil our happiness. As it is, we are passing on without anything to mar it. Why not let the matter rest as it is? Remember Pandora and the box of troubles she opened."

"This was all very well, but the curious bee had been buzzing in Mrs. Smith's bonnet so long that she could endure it no longer. However, something occurred to bring about a revelation of both mysteries. One morning the postman delivered the mail while the Smiths were at breakfast. Mrs. Smith opened a letter addressed to her and turned pale. Seeing that she was about to faint, her husband ran to her and caught her in his arms. She came to herself in a few moments.

"What is it, darling?" cried her husband.

"Read it."

Taking up the letter, he read:

"When our mother died she left it discretionary with me to make a confession for her. I have not long to live and have concluded to make it before I die. Your mother stole fairly when she told you your husband was dead. She also wrote him that you were dead."

Something glimmered upon George Smith. An idea was trying to permeate his brain.

"What was your maiden name?" he asked.

"Stacey—Arietta Stacey."

Throwing his arms about her, he squeezed her till she cried out.

"Thank heaven!" he cried.

"What for?"

"I am your first as well as your second husband. You are my first and second wife."

"How do you know?"

"I married Arietta Stacey when she was seventeen years old. Why did you change your name?"

"Mother forced me to do so to keep you from finding me."

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